OWL-LAFFS

BY
O. W. L.
(Oo With Laughter)

Mother: "Daughter, I believe you would have been happier if you married a man with less money."

Daughter: "Dont's worry, mother, he will soon have less."

The life insurance companies can tell just what you are worth at the age of 30, but they don't seem to tell the boss.

The man looking for trouble never needs the aid of glasses.

"When I came to town, twenty years ago," said a prosperous man of ample waistcoat, "all my earthly possessions were wrapped up in a bandanna handkerchief."

"And now you own 300 acres of land and that factory on the edge of town?"

"Yes."

"May I ask what you carried in the bandanna handkerchief?"

"Six thousand dollars in cash and bonds."

The more powerful the obstacle, the more glory we have in overcoming it.

The Ruling Passion

"He is a wooden-headed guy!" Exclaimed old Mr. Staple.

The antique dealer shouted, "My! mahogany or maple?"

What a man stands for isn't the whole thing. What he falls for also counts.

The value of a dollar depends somewhat on who has the spending of it.

Last Chance

There's always room at the top
As the Sages oft remark.
When other expedients flop,
There's where we'll have to park.

Girl (to druggist): "Could you fix me a dose of castor oil so the oil don't taste?"

Druggist: "Certainly! Won't you have a glass of soda while waiting?"

(She drinks the soda.)

Druggist: "Something else, Miss?"

Girl: "No, just the oil."

Druggist: "But you have just drunk it."

Girl: "Oh! It was for my mother."

The Bible promises no loaves to the loafer.

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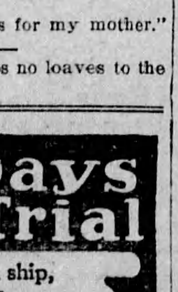

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"Worth its weight in gold" Says Ottawa Matron

Mme. Beatrice Charlebois could not hold pen to write. Nerves completely shattered, health ruined. Now alert, vigorous and strong, she gives praise to Tanlac

The two-year ordeal which she passed through before Tanlac came to her permanent relief, was recently described by Mme. Beatrice Charlebois, of 22 Rose St., Ottawa.

"What I endured in that time could not be told," she said. "I was so weak I could hardly walk. My appetite was poor and my stomach gave no end of trouble. Gas and pains would bring on fainting spells.

"My nerves were so completely shattered that I jumped in fright every time the doorbell rang. My hand trembled so that it could not hold the pen to write my name. Night after night I've gone without sleep, too nervous to lie still for even a few moments. Even my housework became too much for me.

"I tried all kinds of remedies in those two years, but can honestly say Tanlac gave me my first real relief. It built me up so that I've gained 11 lbs., eat and sleep fine and have nerves as

calm and steady as ever. Tanlac is worth its weight in gold."

Build up your health on Tanlac, nature's own tonic made from roots, herbs and barks. Your druggist has it. Over 52 million bottles sold.

MISTAKES MOTHERS MAKE IN CARE OF LITTLE ONES

Many mothers give their children solid foods at too early an age and say proudly that their babies "eat everything that grown-up people do." Such a course is almost certain to bring on indigestion and lay the foundation of much ill-health for the little one.

Other mother administer harsh, nauseating purgatives which in reality irritate and injure the delicate stomach and bowels and at the same time cause the children to dread all medicine.

Absolutely no meat should be given to a child until it reaches the age of 18 months, and then only if approved by the doctor. For medicine, all strong, disagreeable oils and powders should be abandoned and Baby's Own Tablets given instead.

Baby's Own Tablets are especially made for little ones. They are pleasant to take and can be given with absolute safety to even the new-born babe. They quickly banish constipation and indigestion, break up colds and simple fevers and make the cutting of teeth easy. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

CANADA'S NEW INDUSTRY

Rayon, the Popular Artificial Silk, Now Made in Quebec.

Of interest in connection with the Canadian pulp and paper industry is the progress which is being made in the manufacture of rayon and other fabrics utilizing artificial silk, one of Canada's newest, but fast developing industries. According to report Canadian Celanese Limited, a large enterprise which was attracted to the Eastern Townships of Quebec in 1926 is just on the point of production. This company, registered in Canada last year, acquired the sole rights for the Dominion of Canada and its dependencies of the Dreyfus patents and process for the manufacture of cellulose acetate, artificial silks, etc. The factory has been in process of erection on a site of 170 acres at Drummondville, about sixty miles from Montreatl.

Great interest has been exhibited in these fabrics in Canada. Artificial silk imports into Canada have been steadily rising. Total imports of this nature in the first nine months of the present fiscal year had a value of $4,075,436, as compared with $3,734,267 in the year before, and $2,542,562 in the year before that. A market for yarns has been opened, principally with the cotton trade, with the result that already cotton mills in Canada are putting out large quantities of mixed cotton "celanese" fabrics. The Canadian knitting industry is likewise adopting "celanese." In the course of the past year the new company sold over $1,000,000 worth of fabrics and yarns in Canada, and the future is considered bright for the industry.

Dropped and Cracked.

She—"Jim Jones is certainly cracked."

He — "Probably—his girl dropped him."

An artist is a person who can entertain and please you in doing something that is in itself not particularly interesting. You have to put words or musical sounds or pigments or dance steps together in a very special way to make them worth listening to or looking at.

Ability to write poetry is a gift, and to the budding poet it seems that editors think so is the poetry.

DELIGHTFUL HOLIDAY LOCATION

Algonquin Park, in Ontario, is one of the Dominion's charming holiday spots, particularly for the lover of fishing, canoeing and other aquatic sports. Here a canoeist is shown making his way through the passage which leads into St. Andrew's Lake, one of the beauty spots of this delightful holiday resort.—Canadian National Railways photograph.

THIS GREAT TONIC RENEWS STRENGTH

Simply Because it Enriches and Builds Up the Blood

In no trouble is delay or neglect more dangerous than in anaemia, which means poverty of the blood. It is very common in young girls and in persons who are overworked or confined within doors. It makes its approach in so stealthy a manner that it is often well developed before its presence is recognized. But taken in time there is a tonic that so enriches and purifies the blood that good health and strength soon comes to the former weak, anaemic sufferer. This tonic is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which for years have been the most successful blood-builder known, and have credit for restoring to good health thousands and thousands of people who have suffered from some of the many ailments that come through weak, watery blood.

The correction of anaemic conditions by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is as certain as anything can be. As proof of this Miss Margaret A. Smith, Burgoyne, Ont., says:—"After having a severe attack of jaundice I was left in a very weak and run-down condition. I was pale and my nerves on edge. I could not sleep at night and would toss and turn for hours at a time. I finally decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and soon began to feel better, and after taking a few more boxes of the pills I left as strong as ever, and could thoroughly enjoy my rest at night. Now, I always recommend these pills to any friends who may be ailing."

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Business-Like

Letter received by a London business firm from a correspondent in Japan:—

"Regarding the matter of escaping penalty for non-delivery of the Bar-Machine, there is a way to creep around same by diplamat and we must make a statement of strike occur our factory (of course big untrue). Please address my firm on enclosed form of letter and believe this will avoid penalty of case. As Mr. B. is most religious and competent man and also heavily upright and godly it fears me that useless apply for his signature. Please attach same by Yokohama office making forge, but no cause to fear of prison happening, as this is often operated by other merchants of highest integrity.

"It is highest unfortunate Mr. B. so godlike and excessive awkward for business purpose. I think much better add little serpent-like wisdom to upright manhood and thus found a good business edifice."

A man at a restaurant ordered some sausages. After a delay of a considerable time he asked the waiter how long they would be. "About four inches," the waiter replied.

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CARRYING IT TOO FAR.

It is painful for a live and squirming lobster to be immersed suddenly in boiling water. So decided the members of the Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, after careful consideration, in London a fortnight ago. They protested to restaurateurs against this barbaric treatment of the inarticulate lobster; sought to discover a more humane method of killing.

Last week champions of the oyster arose with claims of even greater atrocities. Consider the oyster, said they. First, he (or she) is ripped unkindly from the shell, stuck through the flesh with a fork, dipper in a smarting pepper cocktail, partly mangled by human teeth, squeezed down a narrow canal, smothered to death in the gastric juices of the human stomach. How can civilized sensibilities stand for this, asked the oyster's friends. Could a man swallow a slimy, wiggling baby toad and not feel any reaction in his stomach?

Edward G. Boulenger, Director of the Aquarium at the London Zoo, a stalwart oyster champion, called attention to the following evolutionary axiom: "The higher the form of life an animal has, the more keenly it suffers."

War on Rats

The war on rats and mice is generally carried on with traps and poisons. Ferrets and small rat-catching terriers have been very effective. Nature has also provided some natural enemies among which snakes are most active. These, with the exception of the one poisonous variety in Canada, the rattlesnake, should be protected. Owls and hawks are valuable as destroyers of noxious rodents and the services of the owl particularly should be recongized. The continued destruction of the natural enemies of rats, mice, and gophers is held to have been largely responsible for the increase in numbers of these food-destroying rodents. In cities and towns control of rats and mice is largely effected by denying them food and shelter, through the medium of concrete and other rodent-proof foundations, and by sanitary handling of garbage.

Beauty and the Spring Clean-Up.

"Oh, let's go round by Aylmer: I wouldn't miss those flowering shrubs for anything!"—That's what all the motorists say who travel the roads and highways within fifty miles of the little town in Elgin County. All because the town council and the householders have worked together to make the boulevards something more than a series of grass plots. They have planted spirea (bridal wreath) between the trees bordering the roadway, and when it blooms, the streets are a thing of beauty.

To be beautiful a town must, of course, be clean. And May is the month for the town clean-up. It is not a difficult task if everyone does his part, and it can mean big things for the town. A better town means better business and better health; a cleaner town means a better town for the children, and a more attractive town for the young people. Rubbish can mostly be burned, and the rest collected and buried in the town dump. Vacant lots can be turned from unsightly nuisances to garden plots by the school children in competitions promoted by business men or the horticultural society, the flowers made into weekly donations for the sick and shut-in at home or in hospitals, sanatoria, &c., while both flowers and vegetables can be entered for prizes at the school fair.

One objective of the clean-up, however, is to do away with every possible breeding-place for flies. The fly that looks so timid and harmless in May is the diarrhoea fly that carries death to the baby in July; it is the typhoid fly that spells serious sickness to hundreds during the summer season; so swat the fly in May. "Better kill one fly in May than a million in August." Covered garbage, fly-proof privies, and fly-traps, are the first shots in the campaign. Every man, woman and child can help by killing every fly they see —especially in May and June.

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Ah, day of days! Alone it stands,
While, like a halo round it cast,
The radiant work of patriot hands,
Shines the bright record of the past.

Among the nations of the earth,
What land hath story like our own?
No thought of conquest marked her birth;
No greed of power was ever shown
By those who crossed the ocean wild,
That they might plant upon her sod
A home for Peace and Virtue mild,
And altars rear to Freedom's God.
—Mary E. Vandyne.

Are there going to be any regrets tomorrow about that good meal you're all set to stow away tonight. Better take Seigel's Syrup. Any drug store.

Glass-Making in 2500 B.C.

The art of glass-making was practiced as long ago as 2,500 B.C. by inhabitants of the Euphrates Valley, who sold their product, mainly beads and weights made from glas paste, in Egypt. So well pleased were the Egyptians that they soon imported the glass-makers themselves.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

There is not a man or woman, however poor they may be, but have it in their power, by the grace of God, to leave behind them the grandest thing on earth, character; and their children might rise up after them and thank God that their mother was a pious woman, or their father a pious man.—Norman Macleod.

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Dull Pains in Back

St. Thomas, Ont.—"I took four bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and found great relief from the dull, heavy pains in the small of my back and the weakness from which I suffered for five years after my boy was born. After taking the Vegetable Compound and using Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash I am feeling better than I have for the past seven years, and advise my friends to take it."—Mrs. F. JOHNSON, 49 Moore Street, St. Thomas, Ont.

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